House Resolution No. 365

Whereas, it is with great pride and sincere admiration that the members of the Missouri House of Representatives honor treasured residents of the Show-Me State who have experienced the joys and blessings of a prosperous marriage; and

Whereas, fifty years ago on January 30, 1958, Loyd "Bud" Adams took the hand of his beautiful bride, Louise Pentecost, as they began their commitment to a lifetime of shared love and devotion by exchanging wedding vows during a solemn ceremony in Mineola, New York; and

Whereas, in the years since that heavenly day, Bud and Louise Adams have had the pleasure of raising five children, Charles Adams, Kevin Adams, Brian Adams, Cheryl Adams, and Kathryn Prince, and the privilege of spoiling nine grandchildren and one great-grandchild; and

Whereas, now retired, Bud Adams is known as a dedicated family man who generously provided his loved ones with a comfortable home and secure future through his successful endeavors as a member of the United States Air Force, Minister of the Assembly of God Church, and Mayor of Koshkonong; and

Whereas, a devoted wife, loving mother, and outstanding homemaker, Louise Adams offered her children boundless emotional support, guidance, and understanding which enhanced their lives in countless ways and enabled them to become responsible citizens with families of their own; and

Whereas, Bud and Louise Adams have found the road to happiness by putting all of their energy, love, and ambition into their marriage and by knowing that a successful union is built upon such strong qualities as sacrifice, dedication, and honesty; and

Whereas, Mr. and Mrs. Adams, residents of Koshkonong, will commemorate the glorious occasion of their Golden Wedding Anniversary with a special celebration on February 2, 2008, in the Oregon Howell R-III school cafeteria:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join in extending our most hearty congratulations to Bud and Louise Adams for their tremendous success in achieving a half century of wedded bliss and in wishing them only the best as they continue their journey walking hand-in-hand along life's path; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Adams.

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 365, adopted January 31, 2008.